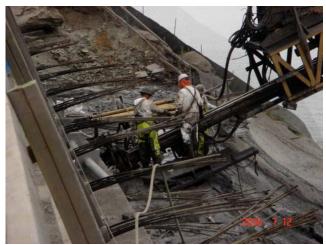


Daily Update July 12

Repair Work

Devil's Slide (post mile 39.14)

 Level 'B' (lower level ocean side) – Drilling for tie backs continued using the reach over rig. 57 of 58 tie backs now installed. Tie back stressing also continued.



Drilling for the last tie back at level B



Cutting off excess after cables are tightened - level A

 Level 'D' (upper level cliff side) – Drilling for tie backs continued today from the temporary bench. 27 of 33 now installed.

Retaining (micropile) Wall

• Drilling and driving steel piles continued today. 44 of 99 now installed.



Drilling for micropiles

Rock Bolts Above The Road

 Drilling continued today to install 50 rock bolts above the level D bracing wall. These 15 feet long bolts will knit fractured rocks together reducing the risk rocks falls.



Drilling for rock bolts

Public Information

Caltrans invited news crews to a media day at the repair site today.
Approximately 20 reporters and photographers attended from newspapers, television and radio stations. The event was held to mark completion of 50% of the repair work.